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Title: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR VERIFYING THE INTEGRITY OF
COMPUTER NETWORKS AND IMPLEMENTATION OF
COUNTERMEASURES**

AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING RCE REQUEST

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Please amend the application, without prejudice, as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to and Listing of the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks and Conclusion begin on page 7 of this paper.